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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Marc ALAIA et al.)
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Application No.: 09/311,558)
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Filed: May 14, 1999)
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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR)
CONTROLLING BIDDING IN)
ELECTRONIC AUCTIONS USING)
BIDDER-SPECIFIC BID LIMITATIONS)
(As Amended))

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

The following Amendment is respectfully submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed on August 14, 2000 (Paper No. 7). A Request for Continued Examination together with a Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time, and the appropriate fees therefore, are submitted herewith and form a part hereof. Kindly amend the above-identified Application as follows:

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